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The Honorable Cory A. Booker
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Booker:

Thank you for your letter of June 10, 2016, to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), supporting the request to extend Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grant for the city of Newark, New Jersey. I appreciate your interest in the Brownfields Program and your support of this extension request.

I am pleased to inform you that the extension request from the City of Newark for the Brownfields Revolving Loan Fund Grant has been approved. The EPA Region 2 New York office has sent a letter to Mr. Baye Adofo-Wilson, Deputy Mayor, city of Newark on June 13, 2016, approving this request. The grant performance period has been extended to September 30, 2018.

Again, thank you for your letter. If you have further questions, please contact me or your staff may contact Raquel Snyder, in the EPA's Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations at snyder.raquel@epa.gov or at (202) 564-9586.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Mathy Stanislaus". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Mathy Stanislaus
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Office of Land and Emergency Management